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- .1. All applications for passports made by Rumanian citizens must be approved by an official of the Soviet Unbassy in Bucharost.
- 2. A proportion of all amounts paid as bribes to obtain passports is handed to this Soviet official. These funds are changed into U. S. dollars and are transferred to Turkey b Raif Olgun, Commercial Attache of the Turkish Legation in Bucharest, on his trips home. Olgun's fee for this sorvice is 15 percent of the amounts transported. Olgun reportedly does not know that the funds he handles are Soviet property.

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